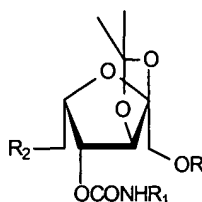


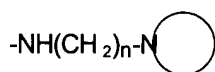
**Amendments to the Claims**

Claims 1-4 (Cancelled)

5. (Currently amended) A process for preparing compounds of Formula I:

**FORMULA I**

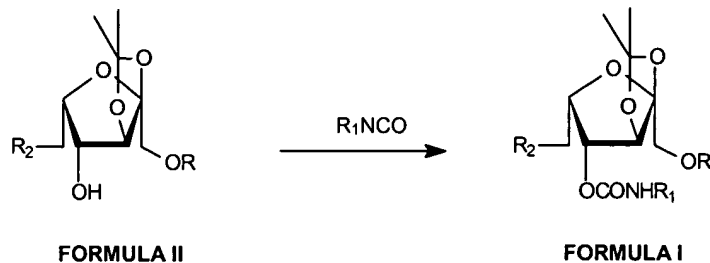
and its pharmaceutically acceptable salts, esters, enantiomers, diastereomers, N-oxides, amides, wherein R is C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>15</sub> alkyl, alkene, alkyne (straight chain or branched), aryl, substituted aryl or alkylaryl and R<sub>1</sub> is methyl, phenyl o-, m- or p-chlorophenyl, tolyl, methoxyphenyl or nitrophenyl and R<sub>2</sub> is H, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, morpholinyl or hexamethyleneimino or a radical of the formula NHR<sub>3</sub>, wherein R<sub>3</sub> is C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>15</sub> alkyl, alkene or alkyne (straight chain or branched) or a radical of Formula III:

**FORMULA III**

wherein n is 2 to 5 and



is a five-, six- or seven-membered heterocyclic ring containing one or more heteroatoms,  
the process comprising treating the compound of Formula II with ~~a suitable~~ an isocyanate  
~~and in a suitable solvent at low temperature~~ as follows:



6. (Original) A process according to claim 5, wherein



is pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, morpholinyl or hexamethyleneimino.

Claims 7-14 (Cancelled)